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WOMAN KILLED, POSSE AFTER MURDERER LIQUOR LAW GIVES ABSOLUTE CONTROL

Far-Reaching Powers of Regulation In Hands of County Commissioners Named By Governor—Local Option Feature Strong

By Paul R. Bartlett.

A deliberate effort is being made to mislead the voter of Hawaii as to the true issue that is before the people of the Territory for determination on July 20th.

It has been declared that the voter will then be presented with two alternatives—that one is giving his support to a prohibitory law; the other to cast his ballot against prohibition, thereby placing his seal of approval on having a "wide open town" for the Territory in general.

This is a gross misrepresentation of the intent of the plebiscite resolution and the practical effect that will follow a majority vote against the enactment of prohibitory legislation.

A vote cast against requesting the Legislature for a prohibitory law is a vote cast practically in support of the existing liquor law, which is administered absolutely by appointees of the Governor of the Territory.

The law now upon the statute books has been declared by Mr. Woolley to be the best licensing law that has ever been enacted by any State or Territory of the Union.

In face of this it is declared, with a plain attempt at deception, that a vote practically to support this law is a vote to make the Territory "wide open." The assertion of Mr. Woolley himself can be accepted as an answer to that statement—a weak effort to deceive the voter.

The existing liquor law, enacted by the Territorial Legislature of 1907, vests absolute power in the hands of the Board of County License Commissioners. No appeal lies from the decisions of the Board. By united action they can close every saloon in the Territory tomorrow if public sentiment should so demand.

Under the practical operation of this law nine saloons in Honolulu will be closed on July 1st, the Oahu License Commissioners to refuse all license renewals outside the fire limits.

This is an illustration of the practical working of the law.

In place of the attempt to incorporate the "wide open town" issue into the July plebiscite, the voter is entitled to an impartial explanation of what the plebiscite really means.

The question to be submitted at the July plebiscite is not a law proposed to be enacted by the Territorial Legislature, prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, nor a licensing law on that subject.

It is a question and not a law that is to be submitted and that question is solely "shall the Legislature be requested to pass a prohibitory law."

That is what the wording of the resolution provides, but the practical accompaniment is that a vote against

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE LAW AND PLANTATION STORES DISCUSSED BY MERCHANTS

There were some fireworks interjected into the meeting of the Merchants' Association yesterday afternoon in the discussion over the extension of the interstate commerce laws to the steamship lines of Hawaii, some of the talk taking a personal turn and L. A. Thurston being accused of starting the whole proposition in order that the inter-island should be under the same laws as the Hilo railway.

The proposal to extend the laws secured only three votes, representing the Hilo railway and the Advertiser.

The discussion came up over the introduction of a resolution by McInerney, seconded by Macfarlane, which read: "It is the sense of the Honolulu Merchants' Association that the enactment by Congress of the United States of a law extending the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission over carriers by water doing business in Hawaii alone would be unfair discrimination against the Territory of Hawaii and an interference in local self-government."

L. A. Thurston opened the discussion on the resolution, speaking strongly against it and stating in his opening remarks that this question was as vital to the Territory as the prohibition question which was before the body several weeks ago. Thurston enlarged the inter-island and its management after tracing the

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SAYS JUDICIARY BUILDING IS UNSAFE

Superintendent of Public Works Campbell has notified Justice Perry of the Supreme Court that the upper floor of the Judiciary Building is unsafe for much weight.

Unless a bad accident with the killing or maiming of many people is to occur but few people can be gathered in the court rooms at one time, and it is on this account that the warning was sent to the justice.

Recently an exhaustive examination has been made of the building and it has been found that all the large floor timbers of the second story are merely shells, having been completely honeycombed with borers.

It is imperative that repairs should be made on the building soon and it is planned that the general renovation and rebuilding of the structure, at a cost of \$100,000, must be done before many months or the building will have to be abandoned for public uses.

DAILY SCORES OF BIG LEAGUES

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—The scores in the big league play today are:

National—New York 5, Chicago 6. American—Chicago 0, Washington 1; Cleveland 3, Boston 1; Detroit 4, New York 3 (ten innings). Other games postponed on account of rain.

SIBERIA IN QUARANTINE

The presence of a suspicious case on board the Siberia caused that vessel to be sent to the quarantine wharf. Five medical officers connected with the Federal quarantine visited the vessel this morning. The Siberia was detained for over three hours before coming into the harbor.

Over fifty Russians and about thirty Filipinos are to disembark here. The vessel is carrying a small through list of cabin passengers.

The Siberia has six hundred tons of oriental cargo for Honolulu. There are a few lay over passengers.

Nearly one hundred Hindus are traveling to the mainland by the vessel.

Included in the through freight are over two million Filipino cigars taken on board while the vessel remained at Manila.

The Siberia will probably be dispatched for San Francisco tomorrow morning.

HEIKE JURY OUT.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The jury in the Heike case went out late this afternoon. Heike represents the "higher-ups" of the Sugar Trust, and one of the principal witnesses against him was Spitzer, the former wharf superintendent of the trust.

ROYAL HAWAIIAN BAND AT MOANA TONIGHT

The Royal Hawaiian Band will play tonight between 8:30 and 11, in the Moana Hotel park, to entertain the guests of the Outrigger Club. Dancing will take place in the Moana's large dining room, Kaala's Orchestra furnishing the music.

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Taft Wins Tariff Board

WASHINGTON, June 10.—President Taft's scheme for a tariff board to make technical investigations of tariff matters will unquestionably be approved by the present Congress. Today the insurgent Republican Senators agreed to support the appropriation item of \$250,000 to cover the expenses of this board.

Under this administration measure a step in advance will be taken toward placing the tariff schedules on a scientific basis, and give Congress information secured by disinterested investigators.

DEMOCRATS BLOCK TRIPS

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Democratic members of the Senate are opposing the appropriation item to defray the traveling expenses of the President in his tours about the country. This \$25,000 appropriation was first opposed by the Democratic members of the House from the South, and much ill will has been stirred up by the President's secretary having made public the names of Southern Congressmen who rode with the President in his car during his trip through the South. The opposition has now become partisan.

ROOSEVELTS SAIL HOME

SOUTHAMPTON, June 10.—Col. Roosevelt and his family sailed today for New York. Up to the moment of his departure, Col. Roosevelt was the center of interest, though his going was not attended by any official function.

PACIFIC YARD GETS COLLIER

WASHINGTON, June 10.—It was announced today that the Government has decided to build one of the new colliers authorized by Congress in one of the navy yards of the Pacific Coast.

PERU QUITES BELLIGERENCE

LIMA, Peru, June 10.—Volunteers called by the Peruvian government when war with Ecuador was threatened have been disbanded. There now remains no doubt of the differences between the nations being settled by arbitration.

HARDINGE IS VICEROY

LONDON, June 10.—Sir Charles Hardinge has been appointed Viceroy of India. This is the most important office in the gift of the British government. Sir Charles succeeds Lord Minto.

WESTERN UNION IS INDICTED

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The Western Union Telegraph Company was indicted today in connection with the action of the authorities in running down the bucket shops. The telegraph company is charged with having violated the law against the operation of bucket shops.

The Evening Bulletin will not be issued tomorrow, Saturday, Kamehameha Day, June 11.

McCLELLAN NOW KNOWS FULL ATTITUDE

By this time George B. McClellan, the representative at Washington of the Merchants' Association and the Chamber of Commerce, is fully informed as to the attitude of the Merchants' Association on the two important questions of the Mahuka site and the application of the regulations of the Interstate Commerce law to the interisland traffic of the Territory.

The two cables have gone forward, and the Merchants' Association has done all that is within its power to do as far as expressing its opinion on two important public questions is concerned.

The cable sent on the traffic resolution was as follows:

"Esteben, Washington, D. C.

Following resolution carried thirty four to three:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of the Honolulu Merchants' Association that the enactment by the Congress of the United States of a law extending the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission over carriers by water doing business in Hawaii alone, would be an unfair discrimination against the Territory of Hawaii and an interference in local self-government.

"MERCHANTS."

The Mahuka site cable was as follows:

"Esteben, Washington, D. C.

"In our opinion Mahuka site is the only proper site for Federal building. We urge to adopt plans to suit available space."

"MERCHANTS."

VASILIEFF MAY BE SENT BACK

It is now up to the Department of Commerce and Labor as to whether Mr. Vasilieff remains in United States territory, and the chances are rather more than even that the smooth-tongued agitator will soon be on his way to Russia.

The interception of Vasilieff's mailed to his hearing before Breckon two days ago, several letters from New York one from Okunzoff, the Russian editor, and the others from headquarters of general conference of Russian labor organizations in New York.

Okunzoff's letter follows: "My Dear Russian friends—I will do everything which I can. Your matter is already in Washington, in the hands of the Attorney General. They have already commenced an investigation of the plantation owners. The English newspapers are already publishing articles about your life. Write everything fully. I want to publish it. I am entirely at your disposal in this matter. Already we have called meetings of our people in New York to discuss the matter. I have written about you to Russia. Stand pat. We will start in to secure money for you and you will commence to receive it soon. If you know some socialist you go to him with a request that he will find for you a lawyer who will act without charge.

With sincere regards, I am yours,

IVAN OKUNZOFF."

May 11, 1910.

SUGARS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—88 analysis, 14s. 6d.; parity, 5.09c. Previous quotation, 14s. 7d.

CLOAK MAKERS STRIKE.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Twenty-five thousand cloak makers have been ordered out on strike as a result of differences between the unions and employers.

Judge Robinson this afternoon denied the libel for divorce brought by E. C. Winston against Mary Winston, alleging desertion, and dismissed the case, which has been before the court part of the past two days.

Posse Pursuing Woman's Slayer Man Fires Fatal Shots And Makes Escape In Nuuanu Valley

Probably inspired by the murder and suicide that occurred yesterday morning, but lacking the nerve to take his own life, Ben Kulana shot the woman he had been living with and then turned tail and ran for cover in the mountains. The shooting took place at ten minutes of six this morning up at the Nuuanu dam, and the woman who was shot is named Julia Davis Koloilu.

According to the statements of eye witnesses, Julia Davis Koloilu was seen approaching the house where Kulana lived. The pair had separated a few days ago, and the man had promised to let the woman have her clothing if she called for it. The woman upon arriving at the dam this morning was afraid to go alone to Kulana's house, so she asked two other women named Keoho and Alice, to accompany her. A watchman named Raymond also went along.

As soon as Kulana's house was reached the owner emerged and rushing at Julia dragged her into the house and began to beat her over the head with a stick. The other three people tried to prevent the assault, but Kulana then became enraged and drawing a revolver threatened to shoot the women then and there. Raymond and the two women became alarmed and they ran from the house and summoned help. A man went to a telephone and rang up the police station, saying that some one was being shot at Nuuanu dam.

Officers Parish and David at once left in the patrol wagon and, after a quick trip up to the dam, had just reached the door of the house when they heard four A. M. Brown's administration. He shots ring out. A hurried rush was a husky looking man of about 45 was made for the room from which years of age and was very strong.

Willie Paulaulo, who works at the dam, heard the shots this morning, and states that it was just as the police wagon arrived that the shooting was done.

The unfortunate woman died at the hospital at about 11 o'clock and the immediate cause of death was the wound in the head and consequent shock to the system.

The murderer was at one time a soldier under the monarchy and, later on, served as a police officer during the administration of Arthur M. Brown, who, at the close of a four days' trial in which Tom Quinn figured, charged with headless driving, occupied about twenty minutes of Judge Andrade's time at police court this morning in presenting his side of the case.

When Brown protested against the remarks of Lightfoot about the British Consul, Judge Andrade said that he, too, thought that too much had been said by Lightfoot and that a lot might have been left unsaid.

Lightfoot also remarked during his argument that the newspapers had convicted Quinn already, but that, notwithstanding that, he was sure of acquittal.

Judge Andrade at the close of the argument by counsel took the case under advisement and said he would give his decision on Monday morning.

ATTORNEY IS SCORED FOR REFLECTION ON BRITISH CONSUL IN QUINN CASE

"I must say that Attorney Lightfoot has acted in a manner that is a disgrace to the profession that he is practicing. His sneering remarks about the British Consul in connection with this case, and the way he tried to make that gentleman out to be a liar, are samples of real dirty work." Prosecutor A. M. Brown had the above remarks to make this morning at the police court when Lightfoot had finished his address on behalf of his client, Tom Quinn.

Everybody in court felt surprised when Lightfoot proceeded to speak in sneering tones about Mr. Forster, who had merely come forward to testify on behalf of a wagon driver, who was declared to have had no light on his vehicle when run into by Quinn. The Consul positively swore that he saw the lamp on the wagon and that it was there at the time that the accident occurred.

Lightfoot seemed annoyed that anyone should give evidence in the case voluntarily. The thought that the Consul came forward in the interest of fair play and without any other motive, did not seem possible to the attorney, who sneered at "this Great Britannie representative coming into court and swearing that he saw a light on the wagon."

Prosecutor Brown made a powerful